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SUBJ: TAMAS COURTESY CALLS - FOLLOW-UP

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- 1. APPRECIATE COURTESY AND ATTENTION EXTENDED TAMAS, WHO OBVIOUSLY CAME PREPARED DISCUSS WIDE RANGE OUTSTANDING CONSULAR PROBLEMS. BELIEVE WE SHOULD RESPOND RAPIDLY TO SEVEN-DAY OFFICIAL VISA ISSUANCE PROPOSAL FIRST MENTIONED BY NAGY LAST SUMMER (REF B), AND FOLLOW THIS WITH RESPONSE ON LIFTING TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS AT APPROPRIATE TIME. WE ARE STUDYING TAMAS' REFERENCE TO DUAL NATIONAL EXCHANGE OF LETTERS AT TIME OF CONSULAR CONVENTION AS POSSIBLE VEHICLE FOR SOLUTION DIVIDED FAMILY PROBLEMS AND PLAN DISCUSS IN DETAIL WITH BROWN DURING BUDAPEST VISIT.
- 2. OFFICIAL VISAS: WHILE REALIZING DESIRE SEVERAL
  WASHINGTON AGENCIES FOR DETAILED INVESTIGATION GOH
  DIPLOMATS ASSIGNED WASHINGTON, BELIEVE DECISION ON
  VISAS WITHIN SEVEN CALENDAR DAYS FOR ALL OFFICIAL
  GOH TRAVELLERS WELL WITHIN CAPABILITY INTERESTED
  AGENCIES, PARTICULARLY SINCE WE UNDERSTAND SIMILAR
  AGREEMENT EXISTS FOR SOVIET OFFICIALS. IN ANY CASE
  SINCE RADVANYI DEFECTION IT GOES WITHOUT SAYING THAT INVESTIGATIONS
  OF HUNGARIANS ASSIGNED TO WASHINGTON WILL REVEAL AVH CONNECTIONS.
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U.S. ACCEPTANCE ANY GOH PROPOSAL WILL BE POSITIVE STEP

IN RESTORING NEEDED MOMENTUM IN U.S.-GOH RELATIONS. SEVEN-DAY VISA PROPOSAL SEEMS RELATIVELY SIMPLE WAY SIGNAL GOH OUR DESIRE CONTINUING IMPROVEMENT RELATIONS. MOREOVER, GIVEN PROPENSITY SOME WASHINGTON AGENCIES FOR LATE SUBMISSION GOH VISAS, SEVEN-DAY ISSUANCE DECIDEDLY WILL BENEFIT U.S. OFFICIAL TRAVELLERS.

3. WE ARE INRIGUED BY TAMAS' REFERENCES TO CONSULAR PROBLEMS IN U.S. ON SEVERAL RECENT OCCASIONS CONSOFF HAS RAISED SUBJECT WITH MFA AND REPLY HAS INVARIABLY BEEN NO PROBLEMS EXIST. APPRECIATE ANY BACKGROUND ON OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS.
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